Council Meeting: 8/7/07 Agenda Item: 44



Memorandum

TO: City Council

FROM: Mayor Chuck Reed

7-23-07

Councilmember Sam Liccardo

SUBJECT: ENVISION SAN JOSE 2040

GENERAL PLAN UPDATE

TASK FORCE

DATE: July 20, 2007

Date 7/3/0/

RECOMMENDATION

Approved

Approve the Envision San José 2040 General Plan Update Task Force membership as listed on page two.

BACKGROUND

On June 26, 2007, the City Council approved the initiation of the Envision San José 2040 General Plan Update and established a framework for the creation of a citizen task force to guide the preparation of the General Plan Update.

We thank our Council colleagues for the designation of District Representatives to serve on the Task Force, and also for the recommendations of many other well-qualified candidates. We also received a positive response from community organizations nominating many others for the Task Force.

We recommend the appointment of the 37 individuals listed in the attachment. Collectively, these individuals will keep our best interests at heart and will work hard to deliver a General Plan Update that will strengthen our position as the Capital of Silicon Valley and help make us the best place in the world to work, live and raise a family.

Many excellent people were willing to serve and we appreciate their interest. Unfortunately, there was not room for everyone on the Task Force. We hope that they will get engaged in the process and provide input to the Task Force. During the course of the preparation of the General Plan Update, we will outreach to the entire community and seek involvement by all of our residents, businesses and community organizations.

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ENVISION SAN JOSE 2040 GENERAL PLAN UPDATE TASK FORCE MEMBERSHIP

Sam Liccardo, Co-Chair Shirley Lewis, Co-Chair David Pandori, Vice Chair Pierluigi Oliverio, Councilmember Judy Chirco, Councilmember

Jackie Adams, Council District 2 Representative Teresa Alvarado, Hispanic Foundation Shiloh Ballard, Silicon Valley Leadership Group Michele Beasley, Greenbelt Alliance

Beverley Bryant, Home Builders Association of Northern California Frank Chavez, Story Road Business Association and Alum Rock School Board

Gary Chronert, Council District 9 Representative

Yolanda Cruz, City Labor Alliance

Pastor Oscar Dace, Bible Way Christian Center

Harvey Darnell, Neighborhood Organizations

Pat Dando, San José Silicon Valley Chamber of Commerce

Dave Fadness, Council District 10 Representative

Enrique Fernandez, Council District 7 Representative

Phaedra Ellis-Lampkins, South Bay Labor Council

Leslee Hamilton, Parks and Recreation Commission

Sam Ho, San Jose/Evergreen Community College District

Dan Hoang, Vietnamese American Federation of Northern California

Lisa Jensen, Council District 3 Representative

Frank Jesse, BEA Systems, Inc.

Matt Kamkar, Planning Commission

Nancy Ianni, Council District 6 Representative

Charles Lauer, Council District 1 Representative

Karl Lee, Chinese American Real Estate Association

Linda LeZotte, Berliner, Cohen, LLC

Dick Santos, Council District 4 Representative

Patricia Saucedo, National Association of Industrial and Office Parks

Erik Schoennauer, Land Use Consultant

Judy Stabile, Past Deputy Director, San Jose Downtown Association

Neil Struthers, Santa Clara County Building Trades Council

Alofa Talivaa, Council District 5 Representative

Michael Van Every, Republic Urban Properties

Jim Zito, Council District 8 Representative